## THE COURTS.

Legal War Declared Against Sidewalk Infringements.

WAKING UP IN SLEEPY HOLLOW.

Foreign Assignces and Their Powers Under Federal Laws.

CONTESTED CLAIMS OF CITY CONTRACTORS.

A case, the final result of which may be temporaril discomfiting to picayune posnut and ple dealers who nonopolize the sidewalks for the sale of their wares, but of vastly more importance to the public, made the victims of such sidewalk infringements, came up for rgument yestorday in Supremo Court, Chambers, ore Judge Donohue. About a year ago Mrs. Jane P. and Church streets, where she vended pies and such like cheap productions to such of the passers-by as like cheap productions to such of the passers-by as favored her with their patronage. Deeming this an intringement of the law the Commissioner of Public Works ordered the shed to be taken down. Discomsted, but not allogather discouraged, Mrs. Emmons applied to the Board of Aldermen for permission to put up another shed on the same corner, and the Board gave, her such permission. Armed with the resolution conferring on her this power she announced her intention of enlarging the boundaries of her outdoor hostelry, the dimensions of the new shed to be eighty-five feet in length and seven feet wide at one end and nine feet in width at the other end. Mr. Campbell, the Commissioner of Public Works, gave notice that such a structure would not he allowed, and thereupon Mr. Stoutenburg, on behalf of Mrs. Emmons, applied to the Supreme Court for an injunction prohibiting Mr. Campbell from interfering with the erection of the proposed structure. A temporary injunction was granted to this effect, and the matter came up yesterday on the question of the continuance or dissolution of the injunction. Assistant Corporation Counsel Andrews made quite a lengthy argument, insisting that the Common Council had no power to grant a permit to obstruct the streets for a private purpose, that such a structure would be a public nuisance and that it was strictly prohibited by statutes and by the last city charter. He added that the structure in question would occupy the sidewalk its whole length and some feet of its width. Mr. Stoutenberg took the ground that it was simply an encroachment, and as such did not come within the provisions of the statutes and city charter. Judge Bonohue took the papers, reserving his decision.

The proceedings taken by the Attorney General to dissolve what is known as the Tarrytown Land Company, and the causes which led to that suit, were re-cently published exclusively in the HERALD. In the account thus published brief reference was made to the suit brought in the Court of Common Pleas by Joseph Seliginan and Andrew N. Stout against William H. Guien, growing out of transactions in connection with some property conveyed, by the land company. This suit came up for argument yesterday before Chief Justice Daly, in the Court of Common Pleas, on a demorrer to the answer. The complaint states that in October, 1872, the Tarrytown Heights Land Company conveyed litteen acres of their lands to Mr. Guien for \$30,000, subject to mortgages, the money to be paid in March, 1875; that in september, 1875, the company transferred to plaintiffs for a consideration defendants' contract, and that defendant has never paid. The answer sets up that the company falsely represented to defendant, Guien, that has teach, to consist of \$1,000,000, was all paid in, and that it would improve the land and bring a class of purchasers who would build elegant residences, which would greatly enhance the value before the time arrived for payment by defendant, and that he, relying on this, paid \$2,000 an acre for fitteen acre. The defendant says that the land was really only worth \$300 an acre, except the speculative purposes of the company were carried out; that the capital stock has never been paid up as represented, and that two days later its incorporation the company purchased its lands, subject to \$244,000 mortgages, for \$1,000,000; that the company to get rid of its indebtedness for mortgages, made a deed to the Union Trust Company, Joseph Seligman and others, to secure the issue of \$250,000 in bonds. The defences are chiefly—fraud on defendant in pretended payment of their capital stock, and that the deed by which the company capital stock, and that the deed by which the company gainst prior mortgages worthless; wherefore he prays that his contract to pay them \$30,000 be dissolved. The decision was reserved on the motion. oseph Seligman and Andrew N. Stout against William H. Guion, growing out of transactions in connection

POWERS OF FOREIGN ASSIGNEES. There was quite a prolonged and exhaustive argument before Judge Sanford in the Special Term of the uperior Court yesterday on a demurrer to the complaint in the suit of William Turquand and Edward Waterhouse, trustees, against John E. Kennedy and nother. It would seem that Benson & Co., the Plymouth Iron Company, of London, and Kennedy & Co., of New York, entered into large transactions on joint account in 1871, 1872 and 1873, involving a shipment of half a million dollars' worth of rails, solling them here for cash and ratiroad bonds and remitting them here for cash and railroad bonds and remitting the proceeds to London. The agreement was that the three firms were to share equally in the profits or losses. Kennedy & Co. disposed of all the rails and received the proceeds. Meanwhile the financial depression came on. Railroad securities declined, and the firm went into voluntary bankruptcy in London, the two planniffs being appointed assignees. Kennedy & Co., the defendants, then converted the assets in their hands into cash, which amounted to \$60,000, leaving them, as they say, at a loss of \$30,000. The two assignees now call upon Kennedy & Co., the third partner in the transaction, to account for the proceeds of the assets in their hands. The defendants desure on the ground that an assignee under a foreign bankrupt law cannot maintain an action in his character as assignee in our courts. Mr. Dexter A. Hawkins appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. Scott for the detendants. After hearing the argument the Court took the papers.

HEAVY SUITS AGAINST THE CITY. Twelve years ago, when F. I. A. Boole was City Inspector, a contract was made with the city by Daniel Gallaguer in which he was to pay \$4,000 per annum for the night soil of the city, the same to be delivered to him at the Lodi Manufacturing Company's works on the Hackensack River, N. J. This contract, which went into effect on May 1, 1865, was for ten years. Subsequently the contract was sold to James R. Dey, and by the latter afterward assigned to Middleton Bell. A suit has been brought by Mr. Bell against the Bell. A suit has been brought by Mr. Bell against the nity and the Board of Health for damages on account of the alleged non-fulfilment of such contract on the part of the city. There was no trouble in the matter until 1873, when the Board of Health passed a resolution directing that such night soil be thrown into the lower bay. Mr. Bell slaims \$300,200 damages, setting forth in the complaint that this action of the Board of Health did not arise from any negligence on their part, but that everything was all in readiness to receive the nightsoil in accordance with the original contract. In the answer this last statement is denied, and this is given as the reason for the action taken by the Board of Health. Judge Donohue yesterday appointed Mr. Stepnen P. Nash, Edgar A. Van Winkle and Fred Coudert referees to investigate the case.

Fugar A. Van Winkie and Proceedings of the number of gentlemen, was appointed yesterday by Judge Lawrence to take testimouy as to the claim made by William Nelson, Jr., against the city for \$54,550 60 for sewer pipes. Messrs. James Emmett, Joseph G. Hosworth and F. F. Marbury\_were appointed referees.

SUMMARY OF LAW CASES. The Court of Over and Terminer, Judge Brady pre-

siding, was yesterday adjourned until the 23d inst. Judge Lawrence gave his decision yesterday in the case of Henry Simons vs. Gustav Cohen discontinuing the action for false imprisonment. The application to discontinue was made by plaintiff's counsel, Mr. Ira Leo Bamberger, on the ground of the insolvency of defendant ascertained after the commencement of the

The suit of Mr. Tilton and others against the United States Life Insurance Company, the full facts of which have been published in the Herale, came up for argument before Chief Justice Daiy yesserday on a demurrer to the amended complaint. Decision was reserved.

Lawrence's Levey sued Daniel T. Fotsdam and others to recover on two promissory notes, and the case came to trial yesterday, before Judge Larremore, in the Court of Common Fiess. The deteace was that the notes were given for accommodation. Judge Larremore directed a veraict for \$5.599 It for the plaintiff.

Thomas Spofford and his wife had some domestic difficulty and concluded to separate. Spofford now claims that on coming home one day he found that his wife had soid all his furniture to one Curtis N. Northrup. He has accordingly taken measures to recover the value, and a suit against Northrup with this end in view was commenced yesterday, before Judge Van Hoesen, in the Court of Common Pleas.

An application was made yesterday to the Supreme Court by Douglas A. Levien, Jr., counsel for Schney H. Conklin, a Broman who was removed by the Fire Country by Douglas A. Levien, Jr., counsel for Schney H. Conklin, a Broman who was removed by the Fire Country, I for a writ of certiorary to review their decision, it being claimed that it was lilegal. Judge Doughuo, at Special Torm, after argument, granted the Arri, recutrable at the next General Form of the Court.

A twenty years lawsuit is an expensive luxury. Just twenty years ago Edward Roberts brought a suit against James Hill for \$182, claimed to be due for goods sold have been published in the HERALD, came up for argu-

and delivered. The case came finally to trial yesterday, before Judga Van Brunt, holding Supreme Court, Circuit, and suded in a verdict for \$2,005.58 for the plaintiff, this, of course, including the accumulations of costs and interest.

In the case of Mr. Henry Bischoff, charged before United States Commissioner Osborn with issuing papers purporting to be United States pusports, it was established to the satisfaction of the Commissioner that the papers issued by Mr. Bischoff were not intended and were never used as passports, but only as papers of identification given to parties requesting them for that purpose. Mr. Bischoff was consequently honorably discharged.

court, General Term. This was opposed by Assistant District Attorney Leary. Judge Donohue took the papera.

Rather a curious question came up for a djudication yesterday before Judge Donohue in Supreme Court, Chambers, in the suit of Donohue against Cady. The property of the plaintiff was sold for non-payment of taxes and a lease was delivered to the purchaser. The plaintiff offered to redoem, but the Clerk of Arrears remised to accept the payment, and the matter came belove the Court on a motion to compel him to receive the taxes. It was claimed by Mr. John Townshend, counsel for the plaintiff, that the law requires the notices of sale to be published ten times, but that only nice of the papers were in the English lawguage and one was in a German paper. It was urged, on the other hand, that the law did not require all the notices to be published in English papers, and that the action should be for ejectment. Decision was reserved.

The suit brought by Mrs. Ann Voss against the Third Avenue Raifroad Company, which has been on trial for several days before Judge Lawrence, of the Supreme Court, was concluded yesterday and resulted in a verdict for \$4,500 for the plaintiff. As stated in the Herald at the commencement of the auit, Mrs. Voss was getting off the car at 199th street, whom the conductor, ringing the bell too quickly, caused the horses to start prematurely, throwing her down and thus zeverely injuring her. The suit was for \$15,000 damages. Notice was given that an appeal would be taken.

Mr. William J. Best, Receiver of the Mechanics and and Tradesmon's National Bank, recontity sold some property in this city and Brooklyn belonging to the bank. Fault was found with the prices obtained for the Brooklyn property, and an application was made yesterday to Judge Donohue to sot aside that sale. Very contradictory affidavits were submitted as to the value of the property, some claiming that fair prices were obtained and others that nothing acea the value was realized. After hearing Mr. Frederick Smythe for the

GENERAL SESSIONS-PART 1.

A RUFFIAN PUNISHED. Joseph Rosetta, an Italian, who was arraigned for trial on Friday last, charged with having committed a he enticed in a room at No. 18 Marion street and then violently perpetrated the offence complained of, was tried and found guilty. The Recorder sentenced him to fifteen years in the State Prison at nard labor.

A BURGLAR DISPOSED OF. Charles Witson, alias Joremiah Daylor, pleaded guilty to the charge of having on the 4th inst, broken into the clothing store of Marcus M. Mark, No. 9 Lis-pensed street, and attempting to steal, and was sent to the State Prison for two years and six months.

GENERAL SESSIONS-PART 2.

THE EXCISE COMMISSIONERS. It would appear that the authority of the Excise Commissioners to issue licenses for the sale of liquors any other than inn keepers or hotel keepers is about to be sested. Some time ago Mr. W. H. Munday originated a complaint against the Excise Commissioners which their authority was questioned under the old law. The complaint was dismissed, and the matter was taken before the Court of Appeals, which tribunal has rendered a decision setting forth that the Board of Excise have no power at law to grant licenses to Excise have no power at law to grant hoenses to persons other than the keepers of inna, teveras or hotels, to sell strong and sprittous liquor and wines to be drunk on the pre-nises of those licensed. After this decision Mr. Munday, in order to bring the matter forward, brought a complaint against James Gibney, a liquor dealer at Fordham. He was held tor trial by Justice Wheeler, and the District Attorney presented the case to the Grand Jury, who found an indictiment, and Gibney was yesterday arraigned for trial. On motion of his counsel the nearing of the case was adjourned until to-day. The question will doubtless necessitate early legislation at Albaby.

AN OLD OFFENDER.

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A DISHONEST CLERK. elected a member of the Palette Club. He sent a check for the amount of the initiation fee (\$50) to the treasurer, Mr. Duniap. A clerk employed in the establishment urer, ar. Duniap's indorsement and got the money. The prisoner pleaded guitty, and it appearing that the officers of the club did not wish to press the case he was given the mitigated sentence of four months in the Penitentiary.

WAR ON DISHONEST MILK DEALERS Joseph Sacidle, an employé of Ignatius Offer, a milk dealer, of No. 220 East Third street, was arraigned on the

charge of adulterating milk in violation of the Board of Health ordinance. Officer McGowan, a milk inspector, testified that on the morning of the 17th of March he saw the prisoner watering several cans of milk while on one of the terryboats. He was found guity and Judge Sutherland sentenced him to thirty days imprisonment in the Penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$100.

COURT CALENDAR-THIS DAY. SUPREME COURT—CHARMERS—Held by Judge Dono-hue.—Nos. 228, 248, 258, 263, 264, 268, 269, 270. SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TREM—Held by Judge Van Vorst.—Nos. 29, 217, 194, 218, 219, 220, 227, 111, 234, 240, 241, 254, 258, 250, 260, 261, 267, 268, 186, 275, 174, 276, 277, 280, 282

276, 277, 250, 282, 250, 260, 261, 262, 268, 188, 276, 177, 280, 282, SCPHRME COURT, CIRCUIT—Part 1—Held by Judge Lawrence.—Nos. 902½, 3069, 2913, 3785, 1883, 3679, 3296, 4673½, 777, 8175, 2719, 8836, 3277, 4723. Part 2—Held by Judge Barrett.—Case on, Hewlett vs. Wood. No day calendar. Part 3—Held by Judge Van Brunt.—Nos. 2089, 2086, 1247, 1818, 1927, 825, 3029, 1611, 923½, 328, 1506, 2237, 219, 803½, 1438, 4783, 3161, 1558, 1155, 4630.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TREE.—Adjourned sine

SUPERIOR COURT—GENERAL TERM.—Adjourned mne die.

COMMON PLEAS—GENERAL TERM.—Adjourned until the first Monday of May.

SUPERIOR COURT—FRIAL TERM.—Part 1—Held by Judge Freedman.—Nos. 314, 1104, 1138, 591, 784, 764, 777, 1009, 1034, 236, 124, 930, 313, 861, 122, 340, 341, 581, 760, 916, 742, 414, 645, 847, 300 ½. Part 2—Held by Judge Spieir.—Nos. 570%, 664, 642, 746, 819, 820, 820 ½. 826, 197, 536, 539, 540, 641, 599, 605, 1003, 636, 644, 770, 873, 780, 869, 674 ½. 226. Part 3—Held by Chief Justice Curtin.—Nos. 608, 509, 703, 809, 811, 823, 831, 835, 943, 710, 830, 790, 131, 672, 797, 980, 388, 1039, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM.—Held by Judge Sanford.—Nos. 13, 26, 21, 27, 31, 40, 51. Demurrer—No. 71.

Supering Court—Special Terrs—Held by Judge Sanford—Nos. 13, 20, 21, 27, 31, 40, 51. Demurrer—No. 71.

Common Pleas—Equity Trans—Held by Chief Justice Daly.—No day calendar.

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hony, asseult and battery; Same vs. James Gibney,

SEAMEN'S WAGES

Judge Benedict, in the United States Court, sitting in Admiralty, in Brooklyn, rendered a decision yester-day in the case of James H. Pugh et al. sgatust the day in the case of James H. Pugh et al. against the steamer Artisan. Action was brought by the crew of the vessel for services performed by them on board the steamer while in this port. The vessel was chartered for six months to convey Mesers. Howe & Cushing's Gircus Company to South America, but the adventure was abandoned. The libeliants claimed the amounts due them for wages and board during the fitteen days they remained on board. The Court decides that the crew are entitled to the amounts shown to be due them respectively in their affidavits.

THE PROPOSED CODE AMENDMENTS. There was a special meeting of the Bar Ass Court Room, at which the proposed amendments to the Code of Procedure, which are pending before the the Code of Procedure, which are pending before the Legislature, was discussed. Mr. Albert Smith occupied the chair, and Mr. Charles Eusing acted as secretary. After a lengthy discussion a committee of five was appointed to review the amendments and report at a meeting of the Association to be held on Monoay next. The committee is composed of the following named gentlemes:—Judge Greenwood, Alden G. Spooner, D. P. Brainard, D. L. Northup and J. H. Kimblo.

HUME DIVORCED.

The referee to whom was referred the suit brough by Andreas Hume, a German farmer residing at Green-ville, L. L., against his wife Anna, has reported to the Supreme Court, Judge Pratt, recommonding that a decree of absolute divorce be granted to the plaintiff. It is alleged that the defendant, who failed to answer the charge, has eloped with a farm hand.

ALIENS' LEGAL RIGHTS.

On March 24, 1876, the steamship Great Western aging the latter vessel. Jens Thomassen and other owners of the brig brought suit against Mark Whiteowners of the orig brought suit squaret Mark White-well, owner of the steamship, to recover damages. Objection was made by the respondent to the jurisdic-tion of the Court, on the ground that all the parties to the suit were allens and non-residents of the United States. Judge Beneint, in the United States Court, decided yesterday that the objection was insufficient and ruled that the cause must proceed.

COURT OF APPEALS.

No. 272 Eder V. Haughwout and another, respon dents, vs. Cornelius K. Garrison and another, appellants.-Argued by Samuel Hand for appellants; Her-

man Kobbe for respondents.

No. 276. Samuel Nicholson, appellant, vs. Herman Wafri, respondent.—Submitted.

No. 277. Henry C. Knight, respondent, vs. Zachariah Dederick, appellant.—Passed.

No. 278. Charles G. Harger and another, respondents, vs. George Worrall, impleaded, &c., appellants.—Submitted

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No. 280. Henry T. Hiersted and another, respondents, vs. The Orange and Alexandria Railroad Company and others, appellants.—Argued by K. S. Van Winkle for appellants; T. C. Cronin for respondents.
No. 292 Jeremish Fowle, appellant, vs. William Remsen and others, respondents.—Argued by Charles M. Da Costa for appellant; David Dudloy Field for respondents.
No. 194. George Cohen, respondent, vs. John R. Platt and another, appellants.—Argued by William P. Chambers for appellants; John E. Parsons for respondents.
Hon. Sandford E. Church, C. J., and associates.

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Nos. 279, 263, 281, 284, 286, 287, 289 and 290.

THE BATES INDICTMENT.

PITTSBURG.

IT IS QUASHED BY JUDGE KIBKPATRICK AT

Orlando L. Stewart, counsel for L. M. Bates & Co., recently made a motion in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, at Pittaburg, Pa., to quash the indistment against Mr. Bates and others, charging them with conspiracy to procure the arrest of Theodoro F. Phillips, formerly a merchant of Pittsburg, for obtaining goods under talse merchant of Pittsburg, for obtaining goods under lake pretonces. Mr. Stewart, after arguing the case, showed that Philips appeared before the Grand Jury and procured the indictment without the knowledge of the Court or District Attorney; that upon this a requisition was obtained from Governor Hartrant on tioverner Robinson for the purpose of taking Hates & Co. to Pittsburg for trial; that Governor Robinson reluxed to grant the requisition upon the ground that the delendants were not fugitives from justice, but that this left the indictment at Pittsburg standing in full force. In granting the motion to quash Judge Kirkpatrick strongly condemned the whole proceeding in this case, saying it appeared "monstreus that a respectable citizen of another State, or any citizon, without an arrest and examination before a magistratic, and without the knowledge of the Court or District Attorney, could be indicted by the Grand Jury upon the information of a private irresponsible citizen and thus branded as a criminal."

"GIVE ME MY BUGGY!"

The dashing Mrs. Campbell, who a few weeks ago horsewhipped her husband in the Central Park, appeared at the Eighth District Court yesterday morning as plaintiff in an action to recover the value of a buggy taken from her by Mr. Campbell. She admits that he gave her the buggy as a present, and alleges that subsequently he took it away, and now she reeks to have him pay her the price of the vehicle, \$250.

Counsel fer hir. Campbell claimed that the relationship of husband and wile belog admitted, and there being an equity in the case, the woman could not sue, and the Court had no jurisdiction. The first objection, which was lounded on common law, was not well taken on account of statutory modifications, and Justice Clancey reserved decision in the second case as to the equity involved, A third objection was taken and sustained by the Judge. Counsel argued that the complaint contained no allegation of a demand having been made, and on this ground he moved to dismiss. The omission being fatal the Judge dismissed the complaint. Mirs Campbell intends to draw up another complaint, in which wall tate that demand has been made for the value of the buggy. As she was about to leave court, in company with a party of ladies and gentlemen, she walked to where Mr. Campbell was standing and said, with dramatic fire and eloquent gesture, "Mr. Campbell, give me my buggy."

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ADULTERATED GROCEI

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JUVENILE HIGHWAYM

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THIEVES AS HOUSE HUNTERS.

The door bell of William M. Stillwell's house, No. 73 East Fifty-second street, was rung yesterday morning by two young men, and they were admitted by Mary Madigan, the servant. They said they had noticed the house was to rent and they desired to be shown through the place. The girl took them through the different rooms, and they appeared quite delighted the different rooms, and they appeared quite delighted with them. They were leaving, after an extended sight-seeing tour, when one of the visitors dropped a spoon. The girl instantly suspected the spoon dropper to be a thief, who had taken the article while in the house, and caught hold of him. She shouted for help, but the fellow broke from her and field, his confederate having before departed in another direction. At the corner of Madisen arenue and Filty-tecond street the thief who had dropped the spoon was caught by Officer Riley, of the Nicoteenth precinct. Yesterday he was arranged at the Fifty-seventh Street Court. His nance, he said, was Fred Brown. He gave his residence as New Jersey and his occupation that of clerk. He was held in \$1,000. On his person were found tickets on several Brooklyn pawnbrokers.

BROOKLYN COMMON COUNCIL.

COMPROMISE OF THE CITY TREASURY DEPAULT-

ING SUIT-NEW APPOINTMENTS MADE. At a regular session of the Brooklyn Board of Aldermen yesterday, President Ray in the chair, a report was submitted by the chairman of the Law Committee in relation to the suits brought by the city against the surcties of ex-Treasurer Cortland A. Sprague, who was

OUR COMPLAINT BOOK.

THE ASHES AND GARBAGE.

I have been reading your article on the mode of tak-ing care of refuse, garbage, &c., in our city and in London. We dump it at the guiter in the street, and in the city of London it is put in a pit in the rear yard and emptied periodically. Why would not this plan be and empticed periodically. Why would not this plan be more feasible to reverse it, instead of a pit in the rear yard place it on the sidewalk near the curb, which ent for the dustman or cartman to remove daily? One of the present difficulties seems to be the want of a dumping ground after being collected. Perhaps some enterprising capitalist would be glad to take all refuse from our city free of charge, and utilize the same by using the ashes for silling in low lands, the affect sweepings as a fertilizer and the garbage for feeding swine. Give such party the privilege for five or ten years of removing the same from our docks free of charge, which would enable them to go to the expense of equipping themselves with boats, &c. There is millions in it for the operator, and great economy for the city.

W. G. A. ent for the dustman or cartman to remove daily? One Why don't the Park Commissioners take the street nature instead of expending a large sum for manure?

incy could have dirt cars, and run all the dirt on the different railroads at night and clean the lower wards in forty-eight hours. The Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Beit on the West side, and the Fourth, Third, Second and Belt on the east side, with a switch on Eighth avenue along the Park, they could throw the airt over on the Park and save the city an immense amount of money and benefit the Park.

A TAXPAYER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:o-day where a man is fined \$250 and imprisoned for thirty days for the crime of sciling adulterated milk. Why not arrest the man who sells the imitation or composition of those different ingredients used in the manufacture of bogus butter? For instance, if putrid or offensive meat is offered for sale, it is seized by the authorities. Why not in case of butter? Will the HERALD call the attention of the Board of Health to the matter, as you are generally successful in what you undertake.

DANIEL MURRAY.

AN UNPOPULAR BANK EXTENSION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:-Savings Bank closed its doors, and not a word has been said about it since that time. Meanwhile the de-positors are waiting very patiently for their hard earned money. A DEPOSITOR.

To the Editor of the Herald.

I am glad your "Complaint Book" has had the effect to rouse our "City Fathers" to the magnitude of the calcium light nuisance. An ordinance has been intro-duced in the Board of Aldermen which, when passed, duced in the Board of Aldermen which, when passed, will banish these dangerous and unsightly nuisances. No time, however, is to be lost. In defiance of public opinion, another of these lights has made its appearance before a large clothing warehouse on Broadway, thus giving us three of these nuisances on our chief thoroughlare, within a few few blocks of each other, to the great annoyance of the many pedestrians who had to be blinded by them. A more addactous outrage was never inflicted upon a community, and thousands of our citizens will thank your "Complaint Book" when we see the last of them.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:cars before five o'clock in the morning. I with four fellow workmen have to be at our work at five. We have to walk from the lerry to Varick street every morning.

W. L.

WATER THE STREETS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HEBALD:-Would you be kind enough to put this in the HERALD's "Complaint Book." Why do they not water the streets, Broadway for instance? The dust blows tremendously, and it is very bad for the eyes, especially for those that have week eyes. I for one have suffered and a great many others have from WEAK EYES.

SIDEWALK STORES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:-A stranger visiting the city would imagine that the dry goods dealers of Grand street kept there stores or whole stock of goods on the sidewalks. At any time customers to buy their wares, blocking up the side-walks in such a manner as to cause persons who are in a hurry to take to the middle of the street. I would most respectfully call the attention of the proper au-thorities to the nuisance which is plainly in defance of law and order. BROOKLYNITE.

THE RENT QUESTION. TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD :--

Being a poor woman and living in a tenement house I have always paid my rent in advance, but as times are so bad I was not able to pay this month's rent viz., April—in advance. The landloid has served me with a summous to show cause why 1 do not give up the rooms I now occupy. I don't think it is right to put a poor woman on the sidewalk for rent that is not due until the 1st of May. A CONSTANT READER.

ADULTERATED GROCEBIES.

does not have grocers and bakers arrested who doel in adulterated tens, coffees, spices and broad. The law in England allows tradespeople to adulterate all they want to, but they must have it specified on the articles being sold, whether pure or not. I think as long as the milkmen are getting dued so severely other avulterations should be investigated also. JUSTICE.

If a policeman could be stationed in our neighbor hood to stop the highway robbery of children, who frequently (nay daily) are robbed of their marbles

pocket-money, &c., by a gang of loating boys from thirteen to seventeen years of age, it would be a relief to numerous parents from Bloecker street to Bedford, in Leroy. A CONSTANT READER.

ONE HUNDRED TONS OF FILTH. TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:-The block in Ninth street, between First avenue and avenue A, contains 100 tons of lestering fith. It is

piled up in heaps for the whole length of the block. I am a resident for the past sixteen years, but I never saw the streets on this side of the city in such a horri-bly filthy condition. It is fast breeding a pestilence, Help us, oh HERALD, or we shall all allie suffer. Hoping these few times will find a place in your "Com-plaint Book," I remain yours, truly. THE LOST CHILD.

THE DOG NUISANCE. TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD :-

How many more deaths from hydrophobia are nec ssary before the hinted crusade against dogs begins ? In Saturday's HERALD another doath is recorded in In Saturday's Herald another donth is recorded in Brooklyn from this frightful disease, and it is seidom we look over a paper without reading of a victim to rables in some part of the country. It you could hurry the extermination of these dangerous pets it would be one of the most valuable services ever readered to humanity.

LET HIM THREATEN MEN OF HIS SIZE. TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:-

One of the "finest police in the world" is and has been for the past few weeks continually threatening us for standing on the corner of our own street-viz. Sixtieth street and Lexington avenue. Now bummers and loafers may stand there, but he passes on, and, seemingly atraid, says nothing. Is this what he is paid for? By giving a hint to Captain Mount, of the Kineteenth ward, to "bounce" this rowdy in municipal uniform you would greatly oblige C. S. C.

ECONOMY IN GAS. TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:-

While the subject of economy is being so carnestly agitated in this city, and even the proposal is made to reduce the sularies of our teachers, why not either in part or wholly extinguish the gas lights on two or three of our avenues and boulevards above 130th street, Surely if one of them were well lighted it would be sufficient for those who drive after dark. At the rate of four lamps per block at least \$50 a year would be saved in that distance, and the total amount thus seemomized might be paid to the teachers. ECONOMY.

THE FIFTH AVENUE PAVEMENT.

To THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:I understand it is proposed by the Municipal Gas Light Company to lay mains on Fifth avenue from Twenty-sixth street to the Central Park at once. This will rip up Fifth avenue once more, entirely stop pleasure driving in the thoroughfare when it is most required, cause chilfs and lever from the excavations all over the city on this line and adjacent thereto, at this, the most dangerous season for the malady, when the complaint exists on the slightest provocation, and sometimes without any. Then why would it not be better for the "Gas Commission" to rescind their permission to lay the mains excepting from July I to September 15, when the people are away from the city who live in and about Fifth avenue, and the pleasure and business driving has coated thereon? VIGIL. will rip up Fifth avenue once more, entirely stop

TWEED'S CHANCES OF ESCAPE,

The impression is gaining ground among person ormed as to the progress of the negotia for the release of William M. Tweed, that he is destined to spend a much longer time in the Ludlow Street Jati than his friends imagine. A gentleman who was formerly intimate with the "Bosa" stated to the sources not connected with Mr. Tweed, not hold of information which positively implicates in the Ring outrages parties who now hold their heads high in the State and county. The possession of these facts has shown the Attorney General that "the broken down old man" has been trying to bamboogle the prosecution old man" has been trying to bamboozie the prosecution
nto liberating him without exposing his collongues;
and there has accordingly taken root in the mind of
that official and his assistant, Mr. Wheeler H. Peckham, a determination to wring from the great ex-Tammany chief a juli confession of his dealings with members of Assembly and other public men. The members of Assembly and other public men. The names of five members of the Legislature of 1870 were on the tongues of local politicians yesteriay as the persons among whom \$290,000 was divided by Tweed to accure their support for his notorious charter. It is said the evidence of the guilt of these men is clear and that the proofs are now in the hands of Tweed's friends, who are using them to frighten the culprits into working for the release of "the old man of Castle Ludlow." A certain man, who was correspondent for a New York morning paper at Albany when the charter passed, and who was shortly atterward dismissed by his superiors for accepting money from the Ring magnates, is said to be attempting to make capital of his knowledge of the bartering that took piace at Albany in that year. A story is fold of this man to the effect that, during the time the charter was before the Legislature, Tweed piaced a sum of money approximating \$30,000 in a desk for Assemblyman Winaus, and that it was stolen by the correspondent, who afterward a finited boildly to Tweed that he had taken it and defied the "Boss" to do anything about it, the publication of the alleged narrative of Tweed's wanderings has beyond a doubt revived a strong public interest in the case and set people to discussing the matter more carnestiy, and as a result there is a strong leging that he should be made keep his promise to lend himself to a purification of the Bench and the Legislature by exposing the corrupt men who climbed to power with the assessmance of the Ring. It is rumored that Tweed's counsel, Mr. John D. Townsend, who had strong hopes of effecting a compromise for his client a week ago, is so angry about the public action of the Story referred to without his knowledge, and so clearly perceives the reaction of public sentiment against the "Boss," that he has even hinted that he might withdraw from the case. From all the conflicting rumors that flooded the city yesterday in relation to the matter it would seem that the old man's chances of ge

FIRE IN THE CATHEDRAL.

AN EXCITING SCENE DURING THE SERVICE OF THE MASS YESTERDAY MORNING.

While the funeral services over the remains of Gusavus Schmitz were in progress at St. Patrick's Cathedral yesterday morning, just before the elevation of the host, a crape streamer which was wound round one of the columns in front of the choir gallery suddenly took fire from coming in contact with a gas light that was fire from coming in contact with a gas light that was fixed near the eastern corner of the organ. In an instant the flame ran up the pillar, blazing brightly and threatening to ignite the other strips of gauzy crape near it. The congregation saw the danger at once, and for a moment a look of dread was to be seen on aimost every lace. The cooler ones remained in the body of the church, and the more nervous were probably kept in their places by their good example, and perhaps also from recollecting the fact that their salety rested, not in flight, but in keeping their soits. Some half a dozen or so of young men who were in that part of the choir near the stairs in the vicinity of the biaze ran down and gained the vestibule, but the organist, Dr. Bergé, and the soprane, Alias Wernock, continued the musical part of the services. The men nearest the burning crape pulled the unconsumed portion of it down. Once or twice it blazed up as it about to clude their grasp, but they were soon able to extinguish the flames with no greater injury than slightly burned fingers. A lady who was seated in the mi-die sisle near the coffin fainted, and a man in the callery got upon the railings and commenced to gesticulate to the congregation. The whole affair did not last more than two or three minutes, after which the services were continued as if nothing had happened.

PRESBYTERY OF NEW YORK.

The stated meeting of the Presbytery of New York, opened in the Scotch church yesterday at 9:30 A. M. The first business was the election of a Moderator. The vote resulted in the unanimous election of J. D. Wilson, who assumed the Moderator's chair. During the devotional exercises Rev. Dr. S. I. Prime men-tioned the death of the Rev. Dr. Muhlenberg. Re-Notice of funeral hereafter.

LA WALL.—On Sunday, April 8, 1877, Sarahans La marks were made by him and others in regard to the great loss the Church at large had sustained in the ceath of this remarkable and excellent man. A committee consisting of Rev. Drs. Prime, Adams and Hastings, was appointed to prepare a suitable memento in regard to the event. The Presbytery then proceeded to the transaction of its ordinary business. Reports in regard to the event. The Presbytery then proceeded to the transaction of its ordinary business. Reports in regard to the churches, in connection with the several benevolent boards, were made, and it appeared that all the churches, without an exception, had during the past year made collections for home and foreign missions to the aggregate amount of about \$150,000, over and above all that had been raised to church work and missions within the bounds of the Presbytery. This report was received with considerable enthusiasm, as it showed a larger sum collected than for any one previous year for some time.

The session in the alternoon was mainly devoted to the hearing of reports irom the ministers and elders in regard to the state of religion in the respective churches. From these reports it appeared that the state of religion in the respective churches. From the ministers and elders in regard to the state of religion in the respective churches. From the ministers and elders in regard to the state of religion in the respective churches. From the ministers and elders in regard to the state of religion in the proposal propos

in regard to the state of religion in the respective churches. From these reports it appeared that numerous additions had been made to the several churches, the aggregate of which will be presented in the narrative on "the State of the Church," which will be presented to-day by Rev. George O. Pheips, chairman of the committee on this branch of the Presbytery. To-day at eleven A. M. there will be elected twelve commissioners to the General Assembly.

A REQUIEM MASS.

FUNERAL SERVICES AT ST. PATRICK'S CATHE-DRAL FOR GUSTAVUS SCHMITZ, ORGANIST. The solemn strains of a requiem mass were chanted

vesterday morning in St. Patrick's Cathedral for the repose of the soul of the late Gustavus Schmitz, formerly organist of the church. The weather being fine, a large, attentive, and to some extent fashionable, congregation assisted at the melancholy observance. congregation assisted at the melancholy observance. The high altar and the organ gallery, where the deceased had so often presided, were draped in mourning. The casket in which the body reposed, borne by the pallbearers, was piaced, aimid a profusion or the most eigent floral offerings, in the middle asise, facing the altar. The casket itself was of polished rose wood, with silver mountings. At its head was a large cross of white hiles, with variegated flowers and a wreath of violets thrown over it at the joinings. Assert to the head of the deceased rested a large pillow of spring flowers whose carnation, pink and violet hees gave pleasure to the eye, while their delicious periume permeated the atmosphere. On the casket were pinced several beautifully stranged baskets of flowers and wreaths; among the latter a charmingly arranged offering of immortelies. At the feet of the dead stood a lyre, whose shattered chords were of evergreens and the encasings of many colored spring blossoms. The Rev. Yather Carney, assuted by Fathers Kane and Mori, celebrated the sacrifice of the mass, and the Right Rev. Vicar General quinn preached the funeral sermon.

In the course of his touching remarks the preacher observed that the words of the holy man who said, "Behold, now I shall sleep in the dust, and if ye seek me in the morning I shall not be bound," must strike awe into the reflective mind. They remind us of the shortness of human life and of the great fact that "I shall sleep in the dust," flow great, powerful, louching a lesson do not these words convey! The terribie spectacle of death, when beheld from a human point of view, is a subject which the mind turns from with horror. But it has a more pleasing side when looked upon as the termination of this life and the beginning of a new and better one. The dear departed was, in his own way, the life and soul of this cathedral—the him it has iost a great treasure. Here the venerable preacher could not help giving way to andible manitestations of great, which did honor to his The high altar and the organ gallery, where the de-

A MEDICAL MYSTERY.

BALDWIN,—At Yonkers, Sunday morning, April 8, a per residende of his son, Hall F. Raidwin, Avroy Raid

Greenwood.

Baldwix.—At Yonkers, Sunday morning, April 8, at the residence of his son, Hall F. Baldwin, Axson Baldwits, aged 77.

Funcral services will be held at St. John's Church, Yonkers, on Wednesday afteruoon, at half-past two o'clock. Carriages will be in attendance on the arrival of the 1 o'clock train from 30th at and the 1:30 train from Grand Central depot.

Berniemers.—On Monday. April 9, Mrs. Yetter Berniemers, aged 77 years and 6 months.

Funeral from the residence of her son, No. 74 7th av., Wednesday morning, at half-past nine.

Boyd.—On Monday, April 9, 1877, Janes G., the son of John and Mary Ann Boyd, aged 9 years, I month, 18 days.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, on Wednesday, the 11th Inst., from the residence of his parents, 348 West 26th st., at one o'clock. Brandons.—On Monday, April 9, 1877, Simon C. Brandon, is the 74th year of his age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Wednesday, 11th Inst., at two P. M., from the residence of his son, Edward O. Bragdon, 612 Greene av., Brooklyn.

Brown.—After a long and severe filless of consumption, Henry Lewis Brown, beloved and only son of Henry L. and Pauline Brown, at the age of 22 years and 7 months.

Relatives and friends of the family, also the Brooklyn Sacugerbund, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 329 Atlantic av.

of Henry L. and Panine Brown, at the age of 22 years and 7 months.

Relatives and thends of the family, also the Brooklyn Saengerbund, are respectfully invited to attend the inneral, from his late residence, 3.23 Atlantic av., Brooklyn, Tuesday, the 10th inst., at half-past two P. M.

BRUSSI,—At Brooklyn, on Monday, April 9, MAMIS, wife of Joshua M. Brush.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

BETLER —April 8, Henry, only son of the late Robert and Kate Butler, of county longford, Ireland, aged 23 years, 5 months, 10 days.

Fineral services from their residence. Summit av., near Leonard st., Jersey City Heights, N. J., on Tuesday, April 10, three o'clock F. M.

Carrender, Lat the Windeor Holes, April 8, 1877, Charles C. Carpender, in the 65d year of his age.

Funeral services at St. And's Church, West 18th st., Tuesday, April 10, at half-past two P. M.

Concentan.—On Sunday, April 8, Jones F. Corcelin, son of the late Jones W. Concelin, aged 57.

Notice of funeral in 10-morrow's Herald.

Consell.—Alfer a short filmess, Edward H. Cornell, Wednesday, two P. M., from his late residence 143 Spring st. Relatives and friends of the lamily, also members of the late Sixty-sixth regiment N. Y. Vols., are invited to attend.

Brill Prano.—On the 7th inst. Caroling, the eldest daughter of Ricardo and Caroline Oel Prado, aged 8 years, 7 months and 24 days.

The luneral will take place from her late residence, No. 143 East 56th st., on Wednesday, the 11th inst. at eleven o'clock, A. M. The relatives and friends of the lamily are invited without further notice.

Donovan.—On Sunday, April 8, at low lands, april 10, from his late residence, No. 126 Eidridge st.

Evens.—On Sunday, April 8, at Pompton, N. J., of congestion of the lungs, Rouker Addison, infants on of John O, and Marietta Fuileron.

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GROSS.—On Monday, April 9, Henry Gross, aged 45 years.

Rolatives and friends of the family, also Congregation Adath Israel, Hebrew Mutual Benefit Society, Jordan Lodge, No. 15, U.O. B. B., and Society Magyne Rynjim are respectfully invited to attend the juneral, on Wedneaday, April 11, at ten A. M., from his late residence, No. 169 East 60th st.

Haunnen.—On Sunday morning, April 8, Mr. Frederick Haunnen.—On Sunday morning, April 8, Mr. Frederick Haunnen, in the obth year of his age.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, on Tuesday, April 10, at one P. M., from his late residence, 698 8th av.

Hers.—On Monday, April 9, our beloved baby, Maun Julia, aged 2 months, 6 days.

Funeral Tuesday, one o'clock, from 72 St. Mark's place.

place.

HURLEY.—On Monday, April 2, at her late residence, 330 East 24th at., CATHRISK HURLEY, aged 45 years.

Funeral from the Church of the Epiphany, 21st st, and 2d av., on Wednesday morning, at half-past nine

A Republic of the late Judge Charles A. Ingersoit.

Funeral services will be held at the house, in New Haven, at half-past two, Wednesday, April 11.

KESSE.—At 67 East 584 st., April 8. Mrs. MARY M. KESSE, widow of the late Rev. William L. Keese.

Funeral and burial at New Haven, Conu., Wednesday, 11. day, April 11.

KERNKAMP.—On Monday, April 9, Louisa, belove wife o' William Kernkamp, and daughter of Dederiol and Mary Fink, after a long and severe illness, age

and Mary Fink, after a long and severe lilliess, ages 22 years.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

La Wall.—On Sunday, April 8, 1877, Sarahaann La Wall. in the 64th year of her age.

Funeral services on Wednesday, 11th inst., at two o'clock, at the Laight Street Baptist Church.

Merian.—On Sunday, the 8th inst., Johanna. wife of Edward Mechan, a native of Tarbort, county Kerry, Ireland, in the 68th year of her age.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her son John, No. 415 East 17th st., on Tuesday, at two P. M.

wednesday at two P. M., punctually, and at St. Johnson, therment will take place, on Thursday at 1 P. M. No flowers. Boat for ton o'clock train to St. Johnson, tong leinne Railroad, leaves took of 34th st., East River, at half-past nine A. M. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend without further notice.

McCool.—On Monday, April 9, Mrs. Anne McCool., aged 76 years.

Funeral from the residence of Mr. John McCool. 122 East 61st st., on Wednesday morning, at baif-past test o'clock. Relatives and friends, and friends of her son Daniel, are respectfully invited to attend.

McLoughlis.—In this city, on Monday, April 9, James McLoughlis, native of Manorhamiton, county Leitrim, Ireland, in the 55th year of his age.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Wednesday, April II, at one P. M., from his late residence, No. 55 lst st.

Nodink.—Suddonly, at Yonkers, Sunday, April 8, James Nodink, aged 71 years.

Funeral services at the house on Wednesday, April 11, at three o'clock P. M.

O'Toolk.—On April 9, at his residence, 468 Berges st. Brooklyn, Hron O'Toolk, aged 84 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from St. Peter's Church, Hicks and Warren sts., Brooklyn, on Wednesday, April 11, 1877, at ten A. M., where a solemn mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul, thence to the Hely Cross Cemetery.

PREATER.—On Sunday evening, April 8, of inflammation of the bowels, William Colling, Infant son of James H. and Agnes E. Preater, aged 1 year, 9 montha and 16 days.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of its parents, 183 Franklin av., Brooklyn.

Relatives and 23 days.

A life journey ended, a life's work well done; A isithful soul rested, a glorious crown won.

ANNE A., eldest daughter of Hugh and Ann Reilly, aged 23 years and 23 days.

A life journey ended, a life's work well done; A isithful soul reated, a glorious crown won. Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the luneral, from her late residence, 165 Jersey av., Jersey City, on Wednesday, April 11, where a solemn mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Mary's Church at hine A. M.

ROBERTSON.—On the 9th of April, at his residence, 120 East 29th st., Danker Robertson, aged 50 years.

Will be buried from his daughter's residence, 11 Stanton st., Thursday, April 12, at two o'clock. His relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. Scotch papers please copy.

RUSSELL.—On Sunday, April 8, of consumption, at her late residence, 367 Bedford av., Brooklyn, Evellyn Mary Dominic Russell, aged 21 years.

Friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral, on Tuesday, 10th inst., from the Church of St. John the Baptist, corner of Lewis and Willoughby avs., at ten A. M., when a solemn mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of her soul, thence to Holy Cross for inferment.

Scheff,—On Samby, April 8, after months of suffering, Frieders, beloved wife of Adam Schepp, in the 47th year of her age.

Relatives and friends of the family, as also the members of Doric Lodge, No. 280, F. and A. M., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 186 av. B, on Tuesday, April 10, at one o'clock F. M.

Smith.—On the 5th inst, at South Orange, N. J., is the 54th year of her age, Sarah B., wife of Albert L. Smith, daughter of the sity, in 79th year of his age.

Notice of inneral hereafter. No flowers.

Stowwill.—On Monday, April 9, William H., son of the iste Captain J. C. Sloweil.

Stowell.—On Monday, April 9, William H., son of the late Captain J. C. Sioweil.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to at tend the funeral, from the residence of his uncle, Mr. L. F. Weldon, 47 Franklin st., on Wednesday, April 11, at half-past one P. M. Interment at Caivary Ceme-

In the case of Julia Wilson, the colored woman, who died at No. 239 West Twenty-night street, on Sunday, Deputy Coroner Miller has not yet made an autopay on the body. He says, however, that she clied of peritonitis; whether from natural causes or maipractice he is not yet able to determine.

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

ENGAGED.

MICHELSON—DAVID.—Mr. JAPON MICHELSON, of Brunswick, Ga., to Miss Hattie David, of this city. No cards.

DIED.

BANFIELD.—On Sunday, the Sth inst., FREDERICK W.
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BANFIELD., in the 47th year of his ago.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the late residence, 338 9th av.